WIFE'S TRACEDY

After Quarrel with Husband Mrs. Mayer Says She Attempted to Take Carbolic Acid in Her Apartment.

TOLD TO RUN ALONG HOME. THREAT OF MANLY

After Hearing Policeman's Graphic He is Going to Keep His Eyes Open Story and Lawyer's Excuses Magistrate Dismisses Case and All Par ties Go Away Together.

It is unusual for a magistrate to tell to "run along home." but that is what Magistrate Meade told Mrs. Maud Meyer thing to do with the decision of the grown bold again.

Mayer, a travelling salesman, who lives decent public would suspect. in the Raymond Apartment-House at Here are some more letters on the No. 257 West One Hundred and Eleventh subject: street. Bicycle Policeman Whiteley was passing the house last night when Mayer approached him. An account of what

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STOOD MOB OFF

David Wemmer, Shooting-Gal- Chief's Quick Orders Prevent It Belongs to Mrs. Marie Dress- Held Up Former Employer and lery Man, Has a Lively Affray with Customers.

David Wemmer, who runs a shooting gallery in the basement at No. 98 Third avenue, was the central figure in a lively shooting affray and came near being mobbed last night. William Saunders, No. 112 Bowery, and Louis Rassler, No. 339 Sixth avenue, were shot through the legs during the fight.

through the legs during the fight.

Wemmer and Rassler had been at outs for some time, and last night Rassler was under control. But for his went into the shooting gallery with several companions. Wemmer says he was knocked down and kicked in the face. One of the men, he says, pointed a rifle at him. He knocked the weapon aside at exploded, the bullet striking Saunders, who was passing the gallery. Several shots were fired, one striking Saunders, who was passing the gallery. Several shots were fired, one striking faculty. Several shots were fired, one striking faction the loss might for his fact at him, which adjoins the new building. Wemmer ran down the legs during the first and to administer the estate. The appointment of Emma Dressler was in response to this plea.

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Rassier Rassier says it was Wemmer who shot him.

With his clothing torn and his face bleeding Wemmer ran down the street arrying a rifle. Before he had gone a block a big crowd was chasing him with the mob frew closer around the fugitive he held them in check with the rifls and finally bounded on the platform of a Fourteenth street car going west.

Oposite the Academy of Music he important principle of any many left their meals to come to the street.

W. J. BRYAN IN A FIRE.

While He Was Speaking the Building Wes Ablaze.

DURANGO, Col., Oct. 28.—While W. J. Byan was making a political speech here last night an alarm of fire was given and it was found that the building without accident. The meeting adjourned and the audience left the building without accident. The building without accident.

The Hateful Hogs Who Insult Young Women by "Nudging" and "Squeezing" Are Busy as Ever.

and is Going to Hammer the First of the Offending Brutes He Finds Cotton Hose, with double Engaged in This Cowardly Work. unbleached soles,

The letters of complaint written to Women's Fast Black a person accused of attempting suicide The Evening World by young women victims of the male hogs who "nudge," "squeeze" and otherwise attempt to Magistrate Meade told Mrs. Maud Meyer "mash" them on "L" trains and in in Hariem Police Court to-day. It is asserted that she drank some carbolic acid suppressing the nulsance for a few last night, but she showed no trace of it in court. This may have had some-detection and so they seem to have

Several more complaints have reach-Mrs. Mayer is a remarkably handsome ed The Evening World and they show 26 and 28-inch twilled silk, woman. She is the wife of Joseph that the evil is more general than the

A Mother's Thanks.

To the Editor of The Evening World: er approached him. An account of what followed is given in the language of the policeman.

"Mr. Mayer ran up to me and said, 'Come to my house. My wife has tried to kill herself.'

"How did she do it?' I said.

"He said she had tried to kill herself with carbolic acid, "How do you know?' I said.

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"How do you know?' I said. Allow me as a mother to thank you

Where Law Is Powerless.

Recognised the Odor.

"He said he knew it was carbolic acid, because he could smell it. When he said that I concluded to go with him because it might prove to be a serious case. He said she was mad at him because he was out late.

"We went up in the flat and found the woman there. She had on a dressing gown and was sitting up on a bed. She didn't look to me like she had taken

Where Law Is Powerless.

To the Editor of The Evening World:
I am glad to see that my fellow-workers have had the courage to complain at last of the way we've been treated for years. I could tell stories of the ways of brutes on "L" and surface cars that would make every self-respecting man angry. They smile at us, speak to us and even squeeze our arms, knowing we can't protect ourselves in such a crowded and public place. Let it be stopped by law, say I led to the Reacye.

A Knieht to the Reacye.

A Knight to the Rescue.

any carbolic acid. I asked her how she felt and she said she felt bad.

"Then I started out to call an ambulance. As I was leaving the apartment I met the servant girl coming in. She had a package in her hand.

"I asked her what she had in the package and she said she had carbolic acid. I took the package away from her and found out that it contained a two-ounce bottle of earbolic.

"I went back in the flat and told them I was going to get an ambulance. Mr. Mayer didn't want to get an ambulance. Mr. Mayer didn't want to get an ambulance.

"A Knight to the Rescue.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

I am a working man. Until I read in your paper of the way girls are insulted on trains I never dreamed that members of my sex could be so low. But, if the police won't interfere I'm going to appoint myself an unofficial police force. I'm going to keep my eyes open. Next time I see a man act that way I'm going to hammer him with my first till he gets all ideas of mashing knocked out of his head. So, take warring, mashers. The brave working girls have one defender, even if he is only a WORKINGMAN.

He Kissed Her.

Mr. Mayer didn't want to get an ambulance. He said he would sooner have a doctor from the neighborhood.

"It don't make any difference whether you get a doctor or not," Mrs. Mayer said. "If I don't die to-night I will die to-morrow."

"Made an Awful Kiek."

"When she talked that way I thought I had better take her in charge. I went out and called an ambulance from J. Hood Wright Hospital. Dr. Rhodes came with the ambulance and took care of Mrs. Mayer. After he

He Kissed Her.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Last evening on the Sixth avenue "Last evening on the Sixth avenue "Last evening on the Sixth avenue "Last evening to the strap and caught my writs. I thought it was an accident until next time the train twisted he swung across and actually kissed me. And this in the presence of over a hundred people! And not one noticed it. I could not help from crying; I was so mortified. But what could I do? If I had screamed the would have lost himself quickly in the crowd. I always heard America was a country where a good woman. Was as safe as in church. Is this untrue? ENGLISH GIRL.

An Offensive Foreigner. An Offensive Foreigner.

took care of Mrs. Mayer. After he had fixed her up I took her to the station-house in a cab. She made an awful kick against going to the station-house and so did her husband."

Here ends the narrative of the policeman.

At the station house Mr. Mayer, who was greatly agitated, asked that his wife be treated kindly while he went out and secured a bondsman. In a short time he returned with Justice Mayer, aff the Court of Special Sessions and dressed, generally wearing a brown suit.

A Gray-Haired Scoundrel.

sented by Lawyer Abraham Levy.

Her lips and face were not scarred by carbolic acid burns, but her eyes were swollen from weepins. Mr. Levy told Magistrate Meade that Mrs. Mayer had taken carbolic acid by mistake. She corroborated the statement. The policeman said he had found a four-ounce vial of diluted carbolic acid in the flat of the Mayers.

"Run along home," said the Magistrate.

And Mrs. Mayer ran along home, accompanied by her husband and Mr. Levy.

A Gray-Haired Scoundrel.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

This morning on the "L" I heard a voice in my ear say: "Good morning, little girl." I looked around and it was a gray-haired, gray side-whiskered man of probably sixty, who looked like a prosperous banker. I was surprised, but he went on paying me compliments, it ried to move away in the crowd, but he linked his arm in mine and detained me. I could not escape without a struggle. When I reached the store I told about this, and two other young ladies had had just the same experience with the very same man. Can't you get him arested?

SALESLADY.

Fire from Spreading in New Eleven-Story Structure.

When the roof of the eleven-story Broadway took fire from sparks from the take charge of the estate of her mother, Democratic fireworks, Chief Croker was Marie Dressler (not the actress), of No. there at the first call and personally 1013 Bedford avenue, who is pronounced directed and helped his men until the incapable.
blaze was under control. But for his When Management

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doz. \$4.35, 6.25, 10.50 Tea Cups, " 4.95, 7.75, 10.75 Bouillon Cups, " 6.25, 10.50, 14.50 Chocolate Curs, " 6.50, 12.50, 14.75 each 2.75, 3.95, 4.95 | Chocolate Pots, each 2.75, 3.95, 4.95 A Large Display of

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MASHERS WHO INSULT WOMEN IN CARS ARE BUSY.



CROKER'S COOLNESS \$150,000 ESTATE IN CHEF A FAILURE SAVES A BUILDING. DAUGHTER'S CARE. AS BOLD BANDIT

ler, but Not Well-Known Actress of that Name.

In the Supreme Court in Brooklyn

Was Well Kicked, Then Arrested for His Folly.

building under construction at No. 1132 Emma Dressler has been appointed to thew Kannenvent, at No. 1559 Third ave-As a cook in the restaurant of Matnue. John Hood learned that his employer always carried the receipts of the day to his flat upstairs after the close of business. Kannenvent dis-When Mrs. Dressler's husband died a charged the cook last week.

and took the revolver away from him. It was Hood, the former cook.

The restaurant man then kicked Hood into the street, called a policeman and had him arrested. He was held for trial in Harlem Police Court to-day.

MEASLES CLOSES A SCHOOL Health Board Acts When Thirty

Pupils Are Taken III. Public school No. 13, at Rosebank S. I., has been closed by the Board of Health owing to an epidemic of measles. Over thirty cases have been reported among the pupils.

"A FULL PURSE NEVER LACKS FRIENDS." The advertiser who recognises the value of Sundry World Wants never lacks a full perso.

Women's Long Garments, \$6.98.

These are handsome cape ulsters, made from Oxford gray English melton cloth with velvet collar, kimona cuff and double cape. They are well tailored, and at this price they ought to sell with remarkable rapidity. Offered for the first time to-morrow at......

Ladies' Handsome Tailor-Made Suits

—In fine grade of all-wool broadcloth,

two shades of blue and black, newest

two shades of blue and black, newest two shades of blue and black; newest two shades of blue and black; newest French skirted blouse, trimmed with two plaits running over shoulder from bottom of blouse to waist in back, and brown, green and Oxford; sizes 4 to 14. The greatest coat bargain ever offered. Choice.

Slot Seam Jackets—All-Wool Whipcord Covert Cloth, velvet collar, reverse cuff, pearl buttons and lined throughout with silk serge. The slot seams run right across shoulders; finished piped with taffeta silk; taffeta silk belt; velvet collar: lined with black satin: reverse cuff. Skirt is made in newest flare shape; all seams twice tailor stitched. Made over mercerized

where under \$16.50. For this sale, in all

75c. and 89c. Silk, Special at 59c. 9-In. All-Silk Black and White Check Taffeta.... 19-in. Satin Stripe Novelty Taffeta.....

19-in. White Corded and Hemstitch Taf-black 27-in. Black Satin....

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52-in. All-Wool Venetlan Cloth, in the wanted 79c shades, \$1.00 grade, at..... 54 in. All Wool Covert Cloth, in tan, castor, marine blue navy blue, light, medium and dark Oxford mixture, 89c \$1.10 grade, here at.....

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Just look at the leathers and the finish and workmanship that we offer at the following prices. These values have fairly taken New York by storm. Absolutely nothing like them have ever been offered anywhere else. This is the last shipment of our great purchase which has caused such an immense sensation. Judge for yourself of the values. Here are the details: on immense assortment oi Pocket A choice from over 300 dozen of hand- A most elaborate and choice collection of

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Would Not Be Accused of Hounding Priestess to Death.

Anthony Comstock, Secretary of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, be-lieves that the Rev. Dr. W. S. Rainsford, rector of St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church, who accused him of not read Miss Craddock's book. He says he can account for Dr. Rainsford's posi-

tion in no other way.

Miss Craddock called herself the High Priestess of the Yogi, and killed herself rather than go to prison a second time. Dr. Rainsford was not at home yester-Dr. Rainsford was not at nome yester-day when Mr. Comstock called to dis-cuss the letter with him. He is out of the city and may not be back for sev-eral days. Mr. Comstock says he will not answer the letter, but will go to Dr. Rainsford and talk over the matter personally.

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"The statement that I hounded Ida Craddock to suicide is not true," he said.

"On Dec. 31 last she sent me a copy of The Wedding Night' and asked my opinion concerning it. I wrote back, pointing out in unmistakable terms the vice of the book and warning her that it was a penal offense to debauch the young mind either by word or writing.

"Later on, it was reported to me that she was circulating the book and I had her arrested and convicted. The fact that I warned her amply after she asked my advice is proof that I had no desire to hound her. The Wedding Night' is a dangerous publication and Dr. Rainsford would certainly not indorse it had he read it."

Dr. Rainsford's letter blamed Comstock for Miss Craddock's death by suicide after she had been released from serving a term in prison. Miss Craddock often used the indorsement of Dr. Rainsford in defense of her books and writings.

STOPS RAILROAD WORK.

of laying tracks on Plymouth street, Jersey City. Complaint had been made to Mayor Fagan, and he ordered the work stopped.

Plymouth street runs along the main tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad. It has been closed for several years. The railroad utilizes the street. Mayor Fagan has started an investigation. He says he does not think the company mag the right to use the street.

RUNAWAY PROVES FATAL.

Man Thrown from Wagon Dies from Concussion of the Brain. James Connolly, twenty-eight years

Comstock Doubts It, Else He Eight Thousand Trainmen Make Concerted Demand for Five Cents More an Hour.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.-Eight thousand switchmen, brakemen, yard telegraphers, freight conductors and baggagemen on suburban trains, road running into Chicago, have rehounding Ida Craddock to suicide, did quested an increase in their wages of men voted for this advance and three representatives from each lodge met W G. Lee, First Vice-Grand Master, who assisted them in drawing up their de-

P. H. Morrissey, Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, has also approved the action of the local boards. The demands have been presented to

the railroads with a request that a reply be made before Friday night. It is thought that the increase will be granted. The men, it is said, are receiving the same wages they did twenty years ago, which range from 25 to 29 cents an

hour, and the increased cost of living

has made it necessary for them to ask

CAN'T GET THE \$4,000,000. armony Co-Operative Society Funds Won't Be Divided.

for more.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28.-The property embracing most of the city of Conomy, Pa., held by John S. Duss, the bandmaster, as senior trustee of the Harmony Co-operative Society, of Pennsylvania, amounting to \$4,000,000, will not be divided and distributed among the laimants, for the case of Christian Schwartz and others against John S Duss involving this question has been decided against them.

Sohwartz and his associates claim to be descendants of former members of the society and brought suit to secure a distribution of the society's property, alleging that the organization has ceased to exist. The Supreme Court decided that

Schwartz and the other claimants did not have such a proprietary interest in the property, as it was provided by the original articles of agreement that the members who withdrew from the society had no demand against it and could thorefore leave none to their representa-

His Men Artists, Says Mascagni Mascagni, the composer, who is tour ing the country in grand opera, filed an old, of Jessup place, Highbridge, who was thrown from his wagon when the horse ran away and crashed into a telegraph pole, died in his home to-day. Connolly's head struck the pole. He was carried to his home suffering from concussion of the brain.



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The Sunday World Want section

an inexhaustitle fountain; it is food by those who have and supplies